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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$255.
  - \$171 for 19 total claims over 20.
  - \$84 for 2 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 690.

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Application No.: 10/085,620

Group Art Unit: 2881

Filed: March 1, 2002

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

For: CONFIGURATION OF AND METHOD FOR  
OPTICAL BEAM SHAPING OF DIODE  
LASER BARS

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

**Box Missing Parts**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted mailed March 25, 2002, Applicant respectfully submits a Declaration. Also submitted herewith is a Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b).

Our check in the amount of \$690.00 (\$65.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e), \$255.00 for additional claims, and \$370.00 for small entity basic filing fee) is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 06-2375, under Order No. 689.006/10203084. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated: April 19, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

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